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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
11 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
12 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

13 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

14 Plaintiff,

15 v.

16 BRYAN PETERSEN,

17 Defendant.

) No. 3:17-mj-70631-MAG

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) DECLARATION OF JULIE D. GARCIA IN  
) SUPPORT OF UNITED STATES' MOTION TO  
) REVOKE RELEASE ORDER AND TO ORDER  
) BRYAN PETERSEN DETAINED

)  
) Date: May 9, 2017  
) Time: 11:00 a.m.  
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1 I, Julie D. Garcia, declare and state as follows:

2 1. I am an Assistant United States Attorney in the United States Attorney's Office for the  
3 Northern District of California. Except as otherwise stated, I make this declaration on my own personal  
4 knowledge.

5 2. Attached hereto as **Exhibit A** is a true and accurate copy of the Complaint in *United States*  
6 *v. Bryan Petersen*, 3:17-mj-70631-MAG.

7 3. Attached hereto as **Exhibit B** is a true and accurate copy of the Complaint in *United States*  
8 *v. Ryan Michael Spencer*, 3:17-mj-70643-MAG.

9 4. A true and accurate copy of an audio recording of an interview with Defendant Bryan  
10 Petersen, on a CD marked as **Exhibit C**, is being submitted to the Court under seal together with this  
11 Motion.

12 5. I am informed by the FBI that the digital recorder used to record the interview with  
13 Petersen (Ex. C) malfunctioned during the interview. The interviewing agents only became aware of  
14 this malfunction after the interview had been completed. The interview lasted approximately two hours  
15 and fifty minutes in total, but the recording is only approximately one hour and twenty minutes long.  
16 The interview was also memorialized in a report.

17 6. A true and accurate copy of excerpts of Kik messages exchanged between Petersen and  
18 Spencer, in hard copy and marked as **Exhibit D**, is being submitted to the Court under seal together with  
19 this Motion.

20 7. A true and accurate copy of a compendium of victim impact statements submitted by  
21 parents of some of the minor victims in this case, marked as **Exhibit E**, is being submitted to the Court  
22 under seal together with this Motion.

23 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on May 3,  
24 2017, in San Francisco, California.

25 /s/  
26 JULIE D. GARCIA  
27 Assistant United States Attorney  
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